

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 03806.0491-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Patrick MAILLIET et al.	)	Prior Group Art Unit: 1624
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Application No.: To be assigned	)	Prior Examiner: R. Raymond
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Filed: September 10, 2003	)	
	)	
For: CHEMICAL DERIVATIVES AND	)	
THEIR APPLICATION AS	)	
ANTITELOMERASE AGENTS	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application on the merits, please amend  
this application as follows.

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